

State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

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March 1, 1990

Mr. Echo L. Pettit 857 North 1800 West Salt Lake City, UT 84116

Dear Mr. Pettit:

Re: Lower Jordan Dist. Sys.

Account 28-83

I was sorry to hear of the difficulty you are having concerning your irrigation ditch.

The state law does not give the State Engineer authority to intervene in problems of this kind between water users.

I do believe the law provides protection against destruction of ditches, but you would have to contact an attorney to find out what legal recourse you have.

I hope you will be able to work things out to your satisfaction.

Sincerely,

Tee H. Sim, P. E

Directing Engineer for Adjudication/Distribution

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Form 144 STATE OF UTAH -- DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS 1636 WEST NORTH TEMPLE SALT LA ITY, UTAH 84116 JAN 29 1990 ***ANNUAL WATER ASSESSMENT NOTICE** LOWER JORDAN RIVER (JORDAN) DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM: TOTAL AMOUNT DUE ---->Water User Account Number: 28-83 1990 PLEASE PAY **PRIOR** PRIOR **PAYMENTS** THIS 1990 **DELINQUENT** UNPAID **DELINQUENT** MADE IN PENALTY PENALTIES 1990 AMOUNT ASSESSMENT **ASSESSMENTS** \$5.00 \$5.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 By law, payment is due by May 1st of each year. If not paid by June 1st, a 10% DELINQUENT PENALTY will be added to your TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Pettit, Echo L. 857 North 1800 West Salt Lake City, UT Make payable to STATE ENGINEER, and RETURN THIS NOTICE with your remittance.